

Automated Commercial Environment—Requirements Recommendation

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Requirement

The option of an indicator must be available for bill transmissions from all modes of transportation showing it is a Track 4 shipment.

Example: Require a data element in each bill transmission to signify Track 4 shipment. A field currently exists in Sea and Rail AMS in the B01 (pos. 48) CAMIR and EDI M1109 record. A new optional field needs to be created for Air to pass a Track 4 indicator.

Business Need

The requirement of this indicator will allow both Customs and the Trade to easily identify and segregate Track 4 shipments from other bill types transmitted within a manifest.

Technical Need

See Business need.

Benefits

The ability to segregate Track 4 shipments provides a means by which data can be easily identified, managed and measured by both Customs and the Trade.

Risks

Should the option not be adopted, Track 4 shipments will remain commingled within the manifest and the ease in which a review can be conducted greatly hampered.

Related Subcommittees

None.

Priority: **Critical** ☐ **High** ☒ **Medium** ☐ **Low** ☐

Customs Use Only

Approved ☐

Not Approved ☐

Further Evaluation Required ☐